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TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW PRIORITY
INFO AMEMBASSY VIENNA

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VIENNA INFO COPY FOR USDEL TO OSC

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: UN, UR, US, TSPA

SUBJECT: UN OUTER SPACE COMMITTEE

REF.: A) MOSCOW 8036; B) STATE 129462

1. US REPS MET WITH TEN OTHER WESTERN DELEGATIONS IN LONDON ON JUNE 8 IN ATTEMPT TO COORDINATE A COMMON WESTERN POSITION ON DIRECT SATELLITE BROADCASTING (DBS) FOR UPCOMING VIENNA SESSION OF UN OUTER SPACE COMMITTEE (OSC). NO COMMON TEXT WAS DEVELOPED, BUT THERE WAS GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT PARTICIPANTS WOULD COORDINATE TO
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PROTECT THE PRINCIPLE OF FREE FLOW OF INFORMATION. THERE WAS GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT SOVIET AND LDC WILLINGNESS TO WORK FOR A GENUINE COMPROMISE SHOULD BE DETERMINED BEFORE THE WESTERN COUNTRIES MAKE ANY FURTHER INITIATIVE.

2. US INDICATED TO WESTERN GROUP IN LONDON THAT WE WOULD TRY TO DETERMINE SOVIET VIEWS ON GENUINE COMPROMISE

ON DBS, AND THAT WE WOULD INFORM THE WESTERN GROUP IN VIENNA OF OUR IMPRESSIONS. WE PLAN TO HOLD THESE CONSULTATIONS WITH THE SOVIETS IN VIENNA AND ARE NOT PREPARED TO DISCUSS OSC ISSUES IN MOSCOW. POST SHOULD NOT RAISE OSC SESSION WITH SOVIETS, BUT IF MAYORSKIY APPROACHES YOU ON THIS ISSUE PRIOR TO HIS DEPARTURE FOR

VIENNA, POST SHOULD LIMIT REPLY TO POINTS PROVIDED IN PARA 2, REF. B. CHRISTOPHER

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